

COUNCIL SEEKS STATE AID FOR PAVING STREET

Left Over Business Is Finished Up At Adjourned Meeting.

The matter of soliciting State aid for the paving of Lincoln avenue was taken up by council last night at their regular adjourned meeting and a resolution was drawn up to be sent to State Commissioner of Highways Hunter, praying for the desired help.

The ordinance for the Lincoln avenue grade between Fifth and Sixth street passed second and third readings.

The Greensboro Gas company was instructed to lower their line at the corner of Oakland avenue and Eighth street. The matter of the disposal of the surface water overflowing property on Long Alley was taken up and by motion was placed in the hands of the street committee with power to act.

New hose buildings are desired by the firemen, one for Fallowfield avenue, two for the hill and one for Second street, down town. The matter was placed in the hands of the street committee with power to act.

The clerk was instructed to notify the owner of the property on the corner of Fallowfield avenue and Seventh street to lay a sidewalk on Seventh street. He was also instructed to notify parties having poles on Crest avenue which were in the wrong place to have them righted.

The matter of a sewer on Prospect avenue which has been asked for by the residents of that street, was placed in the hands of the street committee with power to act.

Laugh A Word.

See "The Laugh a Word Man"—Lionel Paris at the Star tonight.

SCHOOL HOUSES NOT PROTECTED

A writer in the last issue of the Insurance Press on the necessity of providing adequate protection against the spreading of flames and for the safety of life in public school buildings, gives a list of cities in which investigations warrant the assertion that protective appliances are needed. In the list are Washington, Charleroi and Monongahela. The writer says:

"The pressing need of the hour is to make existing buildings as safe for school children as modern methods will permit, that proper protection against fire in a building can be had only through the use of fireproof materials in the construction thereof. The first question is not how shall new school buildings be constructed, but how can the existing buildings be made reasonably safe?"

Makes New Record.

The Monessen police made a record number of arrests Saturday night, putting in 28 evil doers. Among this number was a Polish woman, Jennie Patenz, and Marie O'Neil. The latter had to be carried to the station house, fighting like a demon.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our thanks to the friends and neighbors for the kindness and hospitality rendered us during the sickness and death of our darling babe.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vernon.

TRYING HARD TO AVOID STRIKE OF ST. CAR MEN

It Is Thought That the matter May Be Settled This Week By Those Interested.

Possibility of a strike of the motormen and conductors of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, tying up street car traffic in Pittsburgh and vicinity next week is vigorously depreciated by the two parties to the interest involved. If statements made at the headquarters of the employees' union and the officers of the railway company can be relied upon both sides are striving earnestly for an amicable adjustment of the wage scale difference.

It is a fact that repeated conferences between Calvin Wyatt, representing the employees, and M. K. McMullin, representing the street car company, have resulted in nothing definite, and the situation is unchanged from the aspect it presented two weeks ago. However, neither arbitrator is willing to admit that the end has been reached, and both express their belief that no strike will result.

"The situation means entirely too much to the men, the company and the public to admit countenancing a strike on minor grounds," said President W. D. Mahon, president of the National organization of street railway employes yesterday. "The men are as anxious as the company to see the matter adjusted."

A meeting of the employees will be held at the headquarters in the Ferguson building tonight, and in this meeting a plan for future guidance will be adopted.

Earn \$20 a week making Carvas Gloves at home. Anyone can do it. Write for free circulars. Geo. A. Wiggins, 75 Fayette St. Washington, Pa.

HELD FOR COURT FOR RAILROAD ROBBERY

Samuel Martin, the man arrested in connection with the attempt at robbery at the railroad store house last week, was given a hearing yesterday afternoon before Alderman Elwood at Monongahela and held under \$500 bail for court. Detective Jerry Byers arrested the other man thought to be in the case, whose name is Dan Gold. He was also held for court.

Railroad Detectives Marker, Henderson, Weber and Holland arrested Martin at Dravosburg Friday night. He was thought to have been implicated in the attempt at robbery Thursday night when Officer Bergman was assaulted. The man was found in a shanty boat and taken to Monongahela.

"In Bohemia."

Such is the title of the popular song to be given with next Sunday's New York world and music complete. This song is the hit of Gus Edwards' show, "The Merry Go Round," now playing at the Circle Theatre, Broadway, New York. Every one who hears it goes away whistling it. In Bohemia it cannot fail to please. Get next Sunday's New York World and try it on your piano.

Cyclists.

The palm is given to Sid Baxter and Co. for their novelty wire cycling act. At the Star.

OPENING OF NEW LEAGUE ON FRIDAY

Charleroi Starts at Uniontown on Friday and Plays Here Saturday.

Three more days remain until the opening of the new West Virginia and Pennsylvania league and from the present indications there will be more interest in base ball this season than last as the circuit is more compact and the rivalry between the towns greater than any previous time. Fairmont and Clarksburg expect 5000 at the opening game. Scottsdale and Connellsville anticipate a record breaking crowd and the feeling that has always existed between the locals and Uniontown is sure to cause every fan to turn out.

Each town will have an opening date. On Friday Charleroi will be at Uniontown and Saturday Uniontown at Charleroi. The other teams will change around accordingly.

Manager Osborne has been putting the boys through some stiff practice and says everything will be right on opening day. Gilbert, a catcher from Williamsport has reported, and shows up well. Willig's arm is improving and he will be in the lineup Friday. Urban who had a bad thumb has been working hard in an endeavor to get it in shape. Jenkins of California will be given a trial at first today. Secretary Farrell of the Minor league association has notified every player with Uniontown last season to report as they are the property of the Uniontown base ball club. It is likely the Fayette county club will get some money out of the men.

Of the Right Kind.

The girl student who wins a latin scholarship won't know what hard study is until she tries to win a husband.—Clarksburg Telegram.

COUPLES FROM THIS VICINITY WANT DIVORCE

Charles Hultgran, of Charleroi, complains that his betterhalf, Emma J. Hultgran, has failed to prove true to him and has returned to Sweden, the land of her nativity. They were married at Braddock in 1903 and separated in 1902.

Nellie Jones Jennings, of Bentleyville, charges her husband, Degress Jennings, with maliciously deserting her, and asks that she be given a divorce. They were married in February, 1895, and lived together until May 14, 1906.

W. J. Guest avers that he has been deserted by Bessie Guest, whom he married in November, 1899, at Fayette City. There home is in Gastonville.

The commissioner's report filed in the divorce proceedings of Ethel Maley, of Monongahela, against her husband, Edwin Maley, charges most cruel treatment on the part of the husband.

Mrs. Maley declares he would pinch her arms, shove her away from him, threaten to strike her, and violently shake the head in which she lay sick.

The libellant also charges her husband with being continually intoxicated, disowning publicly their only child and other forms of abuse.

They were both residents of Monongahela, but were married in Youngstown December 28, 1905. Mrs. Maley says her arms were discolored for three months after her husband left, the discoloration being caused by his pinching.

Missing Aliquippa Man Found.

Paul Stuckack, 49 years old, of Aliquippa, Pa., for whom the police have been searching, for several days, at the request of friends who thought he had met with foul play, was found yesterday, in the Homeopathic hospital. He fell while waiting for a train at the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie railroad station on April 14 and sustained a fracture of the right leg. His friends had not heard of the accident.

Laugh A Word.

See "The Laugh a Word Man"—Lionel Paris at the Star tonight.

TRAPPER BOY KILLED AT THE CATSBURG MINE

Crushed to Death Between Car and Door that Refused to Open.

Joseph Keiffer, of Coal Bluff, was killed in the mine at that place yesterday afternoon by a fall of slate caused by the cars crashing into a post. Keiffer was not employed in the mines at the time of the accident, but had jumped on the car to ride in the works. The train did not go in the direction intended, but took another switch. A post was struck which knocked it from its position. The entire roof fell crushing out the life of Keiffer instantly.

Mr. Sipe will also investigate the death of Mike Tote, who was killed at Catsburg Saturday, by a fall of slate. Tote was married and leaves a wife and two children in the old country. He was aged 29.

The death of Marcia Burzsc, a miner employed in the Cherry Valley mine No. 1, near Burgettstown, will be investigated. Burzsc was 26 years of age and was single.

Letter to E. F. Krahmer.

Charleroi, Pa.
Dear Sir: Volumes cannot say more: Every job painted Devoe takes less gallons than of any other paint.

Here's the proof:
Paint half your job Devoe, the other half whatever you like. If the Devoe half doesn't take less gallons, no pay.

Yours truly
F. W. DEVOE & CO.
Buckholdt Hardware Co. sells our paint.

Ask Piper Brothers to explain how Hyomei cures catarrh without stomach dosing: Money refunded if it fails.

LARGE CROWDS WITNESS MONDAY'S PERFORMANCE

Large crowds witnessed the shows at the Star last night and everyone went away from the theatre well pleased. Lionel Paris, in a straight makeup proved himself to be a good entertainer, with his songs and jokes. He was better than most monologists seen in Charleroi. Bertha Talford, the quick change song and dance artist was away above the average, being among the best in an act of the kind. The cyclists, Sid Baxter and company gave a new and novel act. Their electric bicycle riding was heartily applauded. Billy Everett sang two new songs. The pictures were of the best, being both instructive and entertaining.

Knox on Revision.

Senator Knox sounded a strong, clear note in his address in Philadelphia Saturday night when he said that examination and adjustment of tariff schedules to present conditions is a work which "should be done by men wise enough to distinguish between revision and ruin." It should be understood by everyone—everyone should be made to understand that it is not the purpose of the Republican party to abandon the smallest fraction of full protection to American industry. At a time when Englishmen show a purpose to break the fetters which bind them to a free trade policy and return to one which shall give them control of their own markets now dominated by other nations, the people of the United States cannot afford to make breaches in the tariff wall. If Great Britain should adopt even a small measure of protection there would be greater reason than ever for adherence to our own time tried and well proven policy. One of the issues in the North Manchester election, as Senator Knox in his Philadelphia address and The Gazette Times in its editorial columns pointed out, was protection, and so far as it was an issue protection won, as it has in other English bye-elections. The lesson of this for Americans is to keep Republicans on guard for the preservation of the home market.—Gazette Times.

Quick Change.

Bertha Talford holds some records, for quick change. Also a song and dance artist. At the Star.

CANDIDATES LAST DAY BROUGHT IN MANY ACCOUNTS

Expenses Are Given By Men Who Run For Various Offices.

A number of candidates who were voted for at the recent primary filed their expense accounts in the clerk's office yesterday at Washington.

Boyd C. Parshall, candidate for the Republican nomination for county treasurer, submitted a sworn statement showing an expense account of \$1,583.47. C. E. Carothers, Republican nominee for assembly, spent \$604.50. Charles A. Bentley spent \$812.25 and has unpaid bills amounting to \$676.75. Frank Craven spent \$79, and Hiram Robinson reports his expenses less than \$50.

James T. Heffran, Republican nominee for coroner, spent \$153.15. Calvin Patterson reports his expenses \$35 and H. K. Kelly less than \$50. William Courson, Republican nominee for poor director, spent \$15. H. M. Gatz, candidate for the Republican nominee for auditor, reports his expenses less than \$50. J. A. Huffman spent \$84.55.

Other Republican nominees report their expenses as follows: Cyrus Morrow, register, \$113.52; D. L. Williams, clerk of courts, \$152.15; H. F. Ward, probonotary, \$123.94; W. J. Anderson, auditor, less than \$50; John A. Berry, commissioner, \$361.30.

James A. Bubbet, Democratic nominee for probonotary spent \$5.40. James C. Barre, Democratic nominee for county treasurer, reports his expenses less than \$50. J. B. Vankirk reports no contributions and no expenses.

S. T. Brown, candidate for delegate to the Republican state convention submitted a sworn expense amount of 26 cents.

MISSING WORD SEEMS HARD TO FIND

The last week's missing word of the Mail contest is proving a hoodoo to the workers. A number of answers have been sent in but few were right. The word is not as difficult to find as many think nor, on the other hand is it so easy, but careful search will find it.

The advice of the contest editor is to "Get Busy." Work with a will and carefully go over each sentence. Place down words on paper that you think might possibly be the one then after searching thoroughly the page, choose the most likely word and send it in.

Cyclists.

The palm is given to Sid Baxter and Co. for their novelty wire cycling act. At the Star.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

of this week we will sell our \$7.50 Heywood Collapseable Go Carts at \$5.00. They fold to fit in a suitcase. Correll and Crowley McKean Ave. near Fourth St.

Quick Change.

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R. C. Mountsier of Charleroi for seed oats and seed corn.

DeWitt's Carbonized Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles. Sold by Piper Bros. edit.

NOW SEEKS RECEIVER FOR DISTILLERY

Joseph Vandergrift Starts Proceedings in Washington Court.

An equity proceeding asking for a receiver, has been started by Joseph H. Vandergrift against Julia A. Vandergrift, executrix of the estate of John M. Vandergrift, deceased. The proceeding is to get possession of part of the property formerly owned by the Vandergrift Distilling company, of Allentown, of which John M. Vandergrift, deceased, was a member. Julia A. Vandergrift is the widow of the deceased member of the firm and denies the title of the plaintiff to an interest in property belonging to the firm.

The plaintiff is represented by Attorneys L. R. Boyd and Irwin, Wiley and Morgan. His statement sets forth that a partnership was formed between him and John M. Vandergrift, deceased, in 1892, for the purpose of manufacturing and selling distilled liquors at Allentown, this county. By special provision the partnership business was to be conducted in the name of Joseph M. Vandergrift. This agreement was originally in parole, but in 1903 a written agreement was drawn up and has since been recorded in the recorder's office.

According to the terms of this agreement the parties were to be equal partners in the business. John M. Vandergrift put into the business the sum of \$200 and John H. Vandergrift contributed \$1,657 and 2,141 gallons of whisky, tax paid, at \$1.50 per gallon. It was also agreed that the excess put in by one partner was to be paid the other out of the proceeds of the business. There is a large amount of real estate and distilled liquor belonging to the firm.

DEFIANCE TO FEEHAN; STRIKERS ARE IN CAMP; MINES TO OPEN TODAY

Hilliard District Prepares for Disorder, and Operators invite Non-Unionists to return.

BUTLER, Pa., April 27.—The Hilliard non-union mining district, the scene of demonstrations by 500 union miners from Grove City, Pardoe and Annandale mines of the Butler-Mercer district last week, was orderly today, nearly all of the unionists having returned to their homes.

The operators of the four non-union collieries are firm in their determination to run open-shop mines. Harry Hamilton, president of the Mutual coal company, owning the Standard mine, and Levi Deal, owning the Windber mine, participated in the Mercer-Butler district operators and the scale committee of the United Mine Workers District No. 5, at Greenville Friday and Saturday and made it plain that nothing but the old scale and no check-off and the open-shop would be considered.

This means war to the end as President Feehan and Organizer McKay have given out that they propose to establish the union in Mercer and Butler counties.

The break if there is to be one will come to day and a long and hard struggle will ensue.

"Our Hospital"

Our repairing department is a hospital for the treatment of disabled watches, clocks, jewelry, spectacles and silverware.

We think that we give you best sort of work; that is, the work that is done right the first time, the sort that some one else does not have to work on after we have left it, the sort that not only saves trouble, but really saves money for you in the end.



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of a comfortable future is the possession of a bank book. It is an incentive that does much to encourage one's ambition to save. Open an account now with the First National Bank of Charleroi, and you will brighten your prospects for the present and future. Banking by Mail Accounts invited.

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business locals, notices of meetings,
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sales, live stock and estray notices,
bank notices, notices to teachers, 10
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Clyde Collins.....Speers
M. Dooley.....Dunlevy
Gustave Clements.....Lock No. 4

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April 28 In History.

1710—Thomas Betterton, famous actor,
died.

1753—James Monroe, fifth president,
born; died 1831.

1905—General Fitzhugh Lee, noted
Confederate veteran, former United
States consul at Havana, died; born
1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
Sun sets 6:49, rises 4:57; moon rises
4:44 p. m.

A Journalistic Jonah.

The Canonsburg Notes does not hold
Speaker Cannon in very high esteem,
at least it quotes with approval the
mean squib printed in the Philadel-
phia North American about him. The
Notes knows or at least ought to know
that the displeasure of the North
American is a pretty good introduction
to Pennsylvanians generally. It is a
species of a letter of credit.

Just as the Hearst papers were the
creators of the yellow type so has the
North American been the creator of
slander as political argument. No
one other source has done more to de-
grade and lower the people of Penn-
sylvania in the eyes of the people of
other States than the North American.
Its systematic and appalling slanders
are the very identical thing that give
license to the press in other states to
speak of the people of Pennsylvania as
"a sunken people."

Its methods startled at first, then
amused and finally disgusted to such
an extent that its utterances are re-
garded as the mouthings of a malig-
nant miranthrope.

The Notes may not be willing to
admit it, but it is true nevertheless,
that the real friends of local option
were dismayed and numbed when they
saw that the North American had
seized upon that question as its own
private issue. They knew it meant a
repulse, as they knew that the North
American would affront and disgust
all open-minded men and prevent the
question from being considered upon
its merits, neither did they care to
identify themselves with a "lazar
kite of Cressid's kind."

It never succeeded in defeating a
man against whom its diatribes were
directed. It never succeeded in hav-
ing a law enacted which it favored,
and as for its lamentations over the
power of "booze and booze," the
North American has abundant person-
al reasons for knowing how futile
their use is in securing office.

No surer method could be adopted
to gain the Speaker the affections of the

people of Pennsylvania than to have
the North American over-turn its vials
of mendacity upon him.

Curious Condensations.

Four and a half is the average size
of the English family.

The annual profits of Monte Carlo
amount to \$5,000,000.

Rare Ben Johnson asked no better
treat than a pork pie with an abun-
dant quantity of Canary wine.

The largest clock in the world is at
the Rombol's Cathedral, Mechlin,
Belgium. If the size of the dial is the
criterion.

Bishop Collins of Boston is soon to
go to Jamaica to take up the work of
rebuilding the churches and schools
destroyed by the earthquake.

What is believed to be the oldest
newspaper in the world is preserved
at the University of Heidelberg. It
is a brochure of 12 pages, bearing the
date 1609.

Turpentine is obtained by cutting a
hole in one side of tree, called "box-
ing," which in a few years kills the
tree. The forest service has found a
method of extracting turpentine by
which the trees are far less injured,
and the yield is increased 30 per cent.

An old cello, which the owner at
Mount Noorah, Victoria, sent to be
repaired, was found to bear the label
of Nicolo Amati and the date 1621.
There was also found a record of "the
instrument having been repaired by
Louise Dandeh of Versailles in 1781
for Louis XVI.

Since the government monopoly of
the liquor traffic in Switzerland has
been in operation it has met the
wishes of the Legislators. The con-
sumption of alcohol has been reduced
from 6.27 liters to less than four lit-
ers ahead. Ten per cent. of the net
profit of the monopoly is given to the
cantons, provided they devote it to
measures repressive of drunkenness.

The world's stock money, according
to the latest and most reliable data
obtained by the Director of the Mint,
amounted at the close of the year
1906, according to the Comptroller of
the Currency, to \$14,280,100,000. Of
this total gold was not far from one-
half in amount, being estimated at
\$6,891,800,000. Silver money, full
and limited tender, amounted to \$3,
256,300,000, while uncovered paper
was estimated at \$4,132,000,000.

Love City Cullings.

Mrs. Mary Sanders, of Mononga-
hela, is spending a few days with her
father, Jacob Spbar, of Garwood, who
is very ill.

Mrs. Garfield Gregg, of Washing-
ton, is spending a few days with her
parents, Mr. J. N. Carroll and wife,
near Garwood.

Miss Mary Chalfant is quite ill
again, not being able to teach school.
Leslie Williams has the measles.

A Grange meeting was held at
Crowe's school house, Friday evening,
for a purpose of organizing a grange
here.

Easter services which were to have
been held at the Clover Hill church
were postponed on account of an epi-
demic of measles.

Mrs. Lewis Carson, who has been
spending a few days with her daugh-
ter, Mrs. W. E. Allman, who has
been quite ill with measles, has re-
turned home.

A dance was held at the home of
Joe Winnett Friday evening which
was largely attended and greatly en-
joyed by all.

Mesdames Ida Morris, Rider and
Hannen were Pittsburg shoppers on
Wednesday.

Mrs. Hiram Robison entertained
the Larkins Soap Club at her home on
Saturday afternoon.

Miss Stella Carson and her friend,
Miss Porter of the California Normal
spent Sunday with the former's par-
ent, Joseph Carson and wife.

E. N. Allen and wife were Sunday
guests at the home of Charles Reed,

Police Notes.

From Bonnie Belle Veruon.

One sunny Spring day,

Joe Lupko meandered

To make a short stay,

To boozero he bled him,

And toyed with the beer.

It flew to his head,

And made him feel queer.

To Mangaser he shouted,

"You son-of-gun

I'll fight you for money,

For marbles or fun."

Ten dollars and costs

The Cadi inflicted.

Henceforward for Joe

Beer is interdicted.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills

are prompt and thorough and will in

a short time strengthen weakened

kidneys and allay troubles arising

A BRAVE EFFORT.

[Original.]

Edgar Bertram, a young American
travelling abroad, was making a pe-
destrian tour of the Alps. One evening
while stopping at an inn on the road
leading over the Fraele pass a man
and a girl of eighteen, carrying a
variety of bundles, came and sat down
at a table near him. The girl was
very pretty, and Bertram kept glancing
at her repeatedly. After supper the
man who was with her smoked his
pipe on the porch of the inn, and
Bertram felt talking with him. He
said that the girl was his daughter,
and they were going over the pass the
next day.

The height of the Fraele pass is over
7,000 feet and the distance the two
proposed to go perhaps ten miles. Ber-
tram wondered why they should at-
tempt it. The man was past fifty, and
the girl, though strong, was, after all,
but a girl. "There is no danger," said
the man. "We have done it before.
Of course we have some bad places
to cross, but we tie ourselves to a
rope like other climbers, and if one
slips the other stands fast."

The man went into the taproom,
where he indulged in a bottle of wine
and a game of dominoes with the land-
lord. This left Bertram and the girl
together. He chatted with her some
time and won her confidence. "Tell
me," he said, "why you attempt this
pass when there are easier ones? And
why do you not cross the mountains
by conveyance? You seem to be peo-
ple who are able to pay." Then the
girl confessed that they were smug-
glers and by crossing the Fraele pass
on foot could get the goods they were
carrying into Italy without paying any
duties.

The next morning when Bertram had
finished his breakfast he stood on the
porch of the inn looking up the road
that led over the pass. Far up the
mountain side he saw two figures, a
man and a woman, trudging slowly
upward. He always carried a pair of
glasses with him, and, bringing them
to bear on the figures, he saw that they
were the smugglers. He watched them
for an hour. They were tied together,
the father leading. At last a cloud
enveloped them, and he saw them no
more.

To the smugglers the cloud was a
mist, through which they could see
nothing. They toiled on as best they
could, but despite the father's efforts
to keep on the road he lost his way.
Then suddenly there was a quick slide
and a jerk on the rope. The girl caught
a projection with her ice ax, and it
held. Then she knew that her father
had slipped and was dangling over a
precipice.

There was no way by which he could
gain a foothold to save himself or less-
en the strain on the rope, which, as his
daughter lost strength, would inevi-
tably pull her over and the two would
together fall thousands of feet into the
abyss below.

"Cut the rope!" he called.
"No!"
"Cut it! One of us may live. Both
cannot."

"No!"
Repeatedly he called upon her to do
that which would send him into the
abyss. She always answered "No,"
but gave no reason why she should not
do his bidding. They were alone far
up in the mountains; there was no one
near to help, and for the mist they
could not be seen if there were those
to see them.

An hour passed. An hour—sixty min-
utes of sixty seconds each, and each
second a frightful strain! There could
be no change of position either for the
father or the daughter. Any motion on
his part would increase the strain,
and the daughter must lie flat, both
hands clinging to the ax handle. How
long would her strength endure? And
why should it endure? Was not each
moment an agony to be followed by the
frightful end at last?

Thirty more of these dreadful min-
utes passed, each an eternity of agony.
Then a zephyr carried away the mist,
and the girl clearly saw down the
mountain a man approaching. He was
glancing about him as if he were look-
ing for some one. With all the little
strength she had left she cried again
and again till at last he raised his
head and looked straight at where
she lay. Then he bounded up the
mountain like a goat.

The girl did not know who relieved
her, at least not then. She felt the
strain on the rope disappear and knew
that her father was saved. Then all
was a blank. Her father and the res-
cuer carried her down the mountain
into Italy, stopping at the first inn they
reached.

In the evening, after she had come
to herself, she asked to see the man to
whom she was indebted for her and
her father's life. When he came in
and stood before her, she recognized
the young American with whom she
had spent the previous evening.

Bertram, after seeing the cloud en-
velop the father and daughter, could
not divest himself of misgivings con-
cerning them. Then it seemed to him
that he heard the girl cry out, though
this was entirely a mental impres-
sion, not a sound transmitted through
the ear. He started up the mountain
to reach them doubtless but a short
time before the girl's strength must
have given out.

When the next day he left the couple
at the inn to pursue his journey there
was a sad look in the eyes of the girl.
Bertram has forgotten many of the
episodes of his foreign tramps, but he
has never forgotten, nor will he ever
forget, the brave girl who by her her-
oic endurance saved her father from
an awful death.

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For the First National Business
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a Charleroi girl, Miss Alice Mallabone
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Prizes will be given the four who
make the best showing. The contest
is in typewriting.

The event tonight is a preliminary
to the Championship of Pennsylvania,
which will be held at eight o'clock,
Thursday evening of this week. The
writing will be for fifteen minutes
from printed matter. Judges will
select the best twelve papers, from
tonight's trial and the operator will
be selected for the main event.

Miss Mallabone is a graduate of
Douglas College, '08 where she took
highest honors in typewriting. She
left at noon today for Pittsburg. A
Remington machine will be used by
Miss Mallabone.

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By falling a distance of 20 feet
and alighting on an iron girder Joe
Fontana of Monongahela was badly
injured at noon yesterday. He was
taken to the Memorial hospital.
He was employed at the Spring de-
partment of the Liggett Spring and
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was invited his name was associated
with the toast of "Literature" by an
orator, who referred with great elo-
quence to Homer, Shakespeare, Milton
and Mark Twain. In response the hu-
morist thanked the speaker for his
kindly references and excused himself
from making a longer speech by say-
ing, "Homer is dead. Shakespeare and
Milton are no more, and I—I don't feel
very well myself!"

Guarding the Deposits.

Gentleman About Town—An' if a
guy swiped a coin outta de cup, d'yer
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him? Say Blind Person—Sure he
would! He ain't no dummy director.—
Puck.

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that on one occasion when scouting
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batable country between Fairfax
Courtthouse and Alexandria he cap-
tured a picket of a similar commander
under Tom Heigh, and learned that
the latter was taking breakfast in a
farmhouse. Fitz went in alone, found
Tom at table with his back to the door,
so he was able to get up to him and
slap him on the back before saying,
"I think, Tom, you might have put out
one picket." They took breakfast to-
gether, and then Fitz sent an escort to
conduct him to the Federal lines and
bring back his horse, having of course
first paroled him. This was to save
him from Libby prison.—General S. W.
Ferguson in Metropolitan Magazine.

If it were only as easy to practice as
it is to preach!—Chicago News.

The Sarcastic Victim.
The Barber—Your hair is coming out
on top, sir. The Clerk—Good! I knew
it was in me. Now, for goodness' sake,
don't talk to it or it will crawl back
again.—St. Louis Republic.

At the Opera.
"What was the matter with Signor
Tenori? He sang the drinking song
wretchedly."
"Yes, I think he had been drinking."
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Auger begins in folly and ends in
repentance.—Pythagoras.

Among the prominent educators of
Washington county who have an-
nounced for the office of County Su-
perintendent is E. B. Enoch of Wash-
ington, who for the past 23 years has
been a teacher in the schools of this
county. For eleven years he was
principal of the Clark schools in the
seventh ward of Washington but last
year he resigned his position in order
to make an active canvass for the office
of superintendent.

Mr. Enoch also has had experience
along the lines of the County Su-
perintendent as for five years during the



E. B. Enoch.

time which by one E. Tombaugh was
superintendent, Mr. Enoch was his
assistant. He has also had 14 years
of experience in the common schools
of the county and 14 years in the
graded schools.

Mr. Enoch was a candidate for the
office of County Superintendent three
years ago but owing to his friendship
for Prof. F. R. Hall dropped out of
the race.

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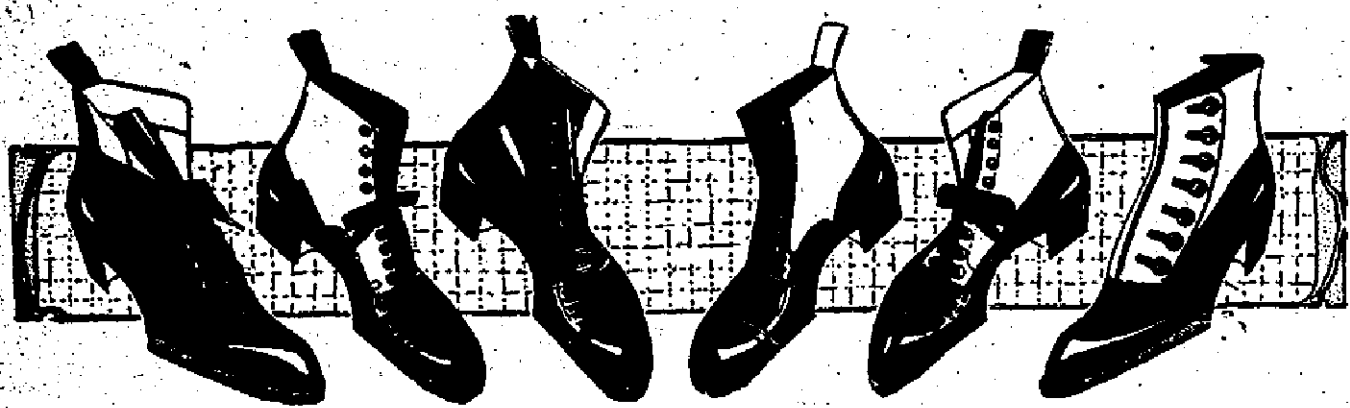
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Franks of the Sea.
The franks of the sea are the anglers and boat fishes. The people of North Carolina have aptly named the angler the almouth, for the fall begins where the mouth ends. Inhabiting the north Atlantic, the angler has been given a variety of names. On the Massachusetts coast it is known as goosefish. Rhode Island terms it bellowfish, and Connecticut gives it the cognomen of molligut. Jamaica bay calls it the car-petbagger. England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales all have their local names. The names of the English give to this one fish are expressive of its habits, to say the least. They call it toothfish, frog, fishing frog, devilfish, sea devil, nassfish, monkfish, pocketfish, vile-gunt, kettlenaw and widegap. Thomas Pennant, who in 1770 wrote his "British Zoology," did not like the name of fishing frog, then applied to the fish, so he "changed the old name of fishing frog for the more simple one of angler."

Curley's Rescues.

By HENRY ROSSMORE.

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Benjy, racing down the street, brought himself up with a jerk as a gong sounded out his brazen alarm. Then he hurried toward the building with the great wide doors in the middle of the block.

The gong was still sounding, and now could be heard the trample of feet and hoofs, the jingle of metal work on the harness, the cries of the men. Then came the lesser note of the "repeat" bell and a hoarse cry of "All right!" from the captain, followed by the trample of hoofs, sounding hollow upon the wooden floor as the fire horses returned to their stalls.

Benjy's face fell. Somewhere in the city horses were dashing madly over the pavements in their race to answer an alarm, but here the great green doors would remain closed. It was only a practice hitch for Thirteen company.

In the summer time practice hitches were the best fun, for the doors stood wide open, and he could watch the men as they put the harness trip in order again and lifted the great straps off the three big grays. Then, too, the firemen lounged in front of the house, and he could hear them talking about the fires they had gone to, brave tales of valorous fights that lost nothing in the telling.

Benjy trotted down the street again to his own doorstep and carefully backed himself into the vestibule. His shrill treble rose in imitation of the clangor of the big gong, and with many a screech and shout he dashed off in the direction of the hydrant on the corner, pretending that he was Thirteen company answering an alarm.

As he neared the fire house a second time the gong sounded again, and this time the number was followed by three

the doors of the fire house were shut. Pete used to escort Bessie past the house in the hope that they would meet Curley. Often they did, but he scarcely gave heed to them as he went about his work. He would not let Bessie see how hurt he was, and she, womanlike, was the more demonstrative toward Pete because Curley would not show his anger or regret.

Dick Curley grunted his teeth and tried to meet his disappointment like a man, but there were nights when he lay awake in quarters and longed for the call that would take him out to a fire where he could forget his own troubles in the fierce battle with the flames. The ride on the tender through the cool night air always steadied his nerves, and his unrest found ease in action.

So he lay one night trying to forget that a couple of hours earlier he had seen Pete and Bessie pass the house on their way to a dance. It had been a hard day for Thirteen, and the men had turned in early, most of them praying that they would be able to sleep undisturbed. But the clock had just struck the half hour after 10 when the big gong began to count out its dread signal.

In an instant the room was in orderly confusion. The men sprang from their beds into their night boots, pulling their trousers up over the legs of the boots as they ran toward the poles. The man on the desk and one or two others who had not yet turned in had the horses hitched, and as the great doors swung back and Quinn grasped the trip to release the harness hangers the captain called out:

"Make it in a hurry," he shouted. "That's the box nearest the Orpheum. If the fire is there!"

The rest was drowned in the clang of the tender bell as it followed the steamer from the house, but Curley had heard enough. He had not realized at first that three-seven-three was the box nearest the Orpheum, where Pete and Bessie had gone.

The dance hall was aflame. Some of the hangings had caught fire when the electric plant had failed and recourse was had to gas. Before the engine could cover the three short blocks the flames were bursting through the windows and mounting to the roof.

The owners of the place reported that all had left the building before the fire had become serious, but even as they spoke a woman's form was silhouetted against the background of angry red flame, and a dash was made to the truck for the longest ladder.

Almost before it was against the building Curley had shoved aside the ladder man, who stood ready to mount, and pushed up the ladder ahead of him. He had recognized Bessie.

The ladder was short by a dozen feet, but Dick snapped his hook into the topmost rung and called to the girl to drop into his arms.

"I'm afraid," was the trembling reply, but Dick called again.

"It's me," he assured eagerly. "Don't be afraid, Bess; I won't let you drop."

"Dick!" It is you? There were relief and hope in the tones, and Curley braced himself for the shock of her jump.

Slowly Bessie edged to the sill and for a moment stood there; then she shot downward into the waiting arms, and, slipping his hook, Curley began the descent.

"This is one thing Pete cannot do," he said as he slowly descended.

"Pete's only good for taking me to dancing class," said Bess contemptuously. "There's a whole lot of things he can't do."

"Like what, for instance?" demanded Curley.

"He can't make me say 'Yes' when he asks me to marry him," explained Bess.

Dick's arm tightened about her. "Can I?" he asked.

"You haven't asked me yet," reminded Bess.

"I'm asking you now," insisted Dick.

"Yes," said Bess softly. "You're dead slow, Dick—except when you're at a fire."

Mr. Labouchere's Whist Play.

While Henry Labouchere was an attaché at Frankfurt he was once playing whist against a very high German functionary sitting on his left. Mr. Labouchere led a small card. The lead turned out so well that he won the rest of the tricks. The minister said: "Well, Mr. Labouchere, you won the game by leading that card. But there was no earthly reason, according to the rules of the game, why you should have done so. You have therefore won the rubber by accident."

Mr. Labouchere said, "I had a very good reason for leading that card. The minister asked what it was. 'We will have a bet,' said Mr. Labouchere, 'that my reason was a good one. The bet was therefore made.'"

"Now, Mr. Labouchere, what was your reason?"

He replied, "I had seen your hand."

—Henry Drummond Wolff's "Bambling Recollections."

A Barrel Trick.

One Sunday morning, when everybody had gone to church, a traveler undertook to show the landlord how to draw three different sorts of wine from the same cask. The two went down into the cellar and the stranger bored a hole in the barrel, on which he asked the landlord to place his thumb. He then bored a second hole, which mine host had to stop with his other thumb. He had set to work on the third, when it apparently struck him that the landlord would not be equal to the task of stopping that also, and he ran out of the cellar "to fetch a tap."

He never returned, and the innkeeper had to wait by the side of his cask until the folks had come out of church. The rogue had by that time decamped without paying his bill.

—London Answers.

A Story For... A Bride.

[Original.]

"Now, my dear Chrystine, I wish on the eve of your marriage to impress one fact upon you. You are to manage your husband. A wife who is incapable of managing her husband is not fit to have one. A man's nature is no more like a woman's than an alligator is like a bird of paradise. Civilization, the family circle, all that is above the brute creation forces him to be satisfied with one woman. Ours is the best type of union between the sexes, but it is not the only type. Polygamy has always existed and may always exist."

"Oh, mother! You frighten me. What are you going to say to me?"

"This, that you have a man to hold whose nature it is to fly away from you. On you will depend whether marriage is a failure, whether your family remains a unit or is eventually broken up."

"And nothing depends on Dick?"

"A great deal depends on Dick, but he has the nature of a man to fight against, and nature is liable to get the better of us all. A married man is like a canoe in the rapids. His wife is the pilot. She must guide him between the rocks. But enough of this preface. I will tell you a story to illustrate what I say, a personal experience I once had with your own father."

"Father?"

"Yes, your father is a man. If he were not I would not love him, though we have long ago passed the matrimonial rapids and are paddling in calm waters. It was six years after our marriage. Roy and Millie and you had all been born and we were a united and happy family. Your father and I were in society, and one season I went out so much that I engaged a hairdresser to come every evening before dinner and dress my hair. She was very pretty, with pink cheeks and blue eyes. Usually father would find her dressing my hair when he came home from business and upstairs to kiss me and you children. I would be sitting before the dresser, where I could see myself reflected in the mirror and watch the girl as she proceeded with my hair. Father would come and kiss me and then go and have a romp with you children. At 7 o'clock he and I would dine, and you little tots would be put to bed by your nurse, and father and I would go out either to the opera or some social function."

"One afternoon while I was sitting before the mirror having my hair done I heard father put his latchkey in the door, take off his hat and coat in the hall and came upstairs. I was happy, as usual, at seeing him again after a day's separation and that the hour I enjoyed most at home was about to begin. He came into the room behind me, but I could see his reflection in the mirror. The hairdresser turned toward him and—they forgot the mirror."

"Oh, mother!"

"That look froze the blood in my veins. Your father came up to me and kissed me as usual. By an effort I controlled myself, and he did not know what I had seen. I must have time to consider. My first and second thoughts were simultaneous—they were for myself and the family. On me depended whether we should fly apart or be the happy circle we are today. Never before or since have so many dreadful possibilities crowded upon my mind. I saw you children suffering under the loss of divorced parents, perhaps your father married to the hairdresser. I nerved myself for a great effort."

"Go on, mother; go on! What did you do?"

"Nothing then—nothing for several days. No one could see the slightest change in me, though I suffered agony, but one day when I heard father open the hall door I jumped up from my seat and told the hairdresser to sit in my place. Then I turned the gas a trifle lower. When father came into the room I turned and smiled at him. In the dinner light he did not recognize me and, going up to the girl in the chair, was about to kiss her when I burst into a merry laugh. He looked from her to me and from me to her; then went out of the room."

"To think father should ever have done such a thing! Why have you told me this?"

"Listen. Father didn't go in and play with you children as usual. He went to his own room. We were together in the evening, and I supposed it was getting into evening dress, but when he came down to dinner he had not changed his business suit. I chatted with him gayly, but he looked very much crestfallen. At the end of the dinner, when there was nothing more to be brought in and we were free from intrusion by the servants, he looked at me and said:

"Wife, you're a great big blooming brick!"

"I wanted to give vent to my feelings in a flood of tears, but controlled myself."

"Can't you get some one else to dress your hair and let that young woman go?" he added.

"I saw that my work was done, and I could stand the strain no longer. I put my hands to my face, and the tears came all at once. Then I felt his arms about me, and I knew that I had saved him, myself, all of us. Never from that day to this have I had cause for jealousy."

"Mother, dear, after all, I'm glad you told me. Your story shall be my guide throughout my whole married life."

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HERE AND THERE

Dogs attacked a herd of cattle Friday night belonging to Alexander McConnell, North Strabane township, killing two of the animals and injuring a third so badly that it had to be killed. Others of the herd were slightly injured.

Coal Bluff is over run with sheep killing dogs.

George Lambert, an 11-year-old lad of Cannonsburg, has disappeared and it is thought he has adopted the hobo life.

Mrs. Wesley Chambers, of Amwell township, aged about 91 years, went to Washington Saturday, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Dodd, wife of Dr. William Dodd, of the Fifth ward. Mrs. Chambers, despite her years, is hale and active, and said Saturday that she had no cause for complaint so far as health is concerned.

A marriage license was granted Saturday at Waynesburg to G. W. Sellers and Lettie Eaton both of Clarksville.

Burglars are busy in Connellsville. The school commencement season is now working full time.

George Lewis, veteran of the Civil war, died this afternoon at his home at the rear of 264 North Main street, Washington, of a complication of diseases, aged 63 years.

The McKeesport hospital broke about all records this week for the number of patients admitted, suffering with concussion of the brain and fractured skulls.

Twelve gallons of good whiskey went to waste last evening and none of McKeesport's drinking men were about. In some manner the fluid that intoxicates leaked from a barrel at the store of I. Sunstein, at 326 Fifth avenue last night and before the flow was discovered and stopped about twelve gallons of the costly drink had flowed over the floor.

The Lincoln public school near the city poor farm Elizabeth township closed yesterday afternoon in a blaze of glory and likewise fire.

Vandals last evening destroyed much property belonging to the New Castle Bill posting company in the Seventh ward. Three large bill boards in Cedar street were torn down and the lumber damaged beyond use.

County Detective C. G. Logan and Constable Graham of Mahoning township, made a most important capture last night at Hillsville, when they arrested John Bendetto and captured 450 pounds of dynamite he had stolen from the storehouse of the DuPont Powder company at Hillsville. The stolen property was turned over to the owners. It was worth about \$280.

W. D. Haywood will be in New Castle Sunday afternoon May 3 to address the Socialists and others. Big preparations are being made for his coming. On Tuesday, May 5th, Arthur Moore Lew, a National organizer of the party, will be here to make an address.

Felix McCartney, of Washington, a miner and well known in labor circles, expects to leave today for Goldfield, Nev.

Washington had ten names on the police docket yesterday morning.

Mrs. Paul Shaw, of Homestead, claims her husband pushed her from a moving car.

Bert Marks, of Homestead, whom it is claimed has paid fines enough to pay the salary of a policeman, has finally gone to jail.

Robert Barber, of Bellwood was ordered by the Court to pay his wife \$2 a week in a desertion case. She told a story that moved many to tears.

John J. Kelly, a well-known steel worker of Homestead, died suddenly, yesterday.

Harriet Sloenn and Dallas Taylor, both of Homestead, will be wedded to-morrow.

"Dummy" Campbell and Thomas Kelly are in duress vile for looting an ice-plant at Homestead.

Willock had its accustomed murder last Saturday night.

The Record, of Washington, has gone into a Receiver's hands.

Charlotte Williams was burned to death yesterday at her home at Claysville.

Peter Estroon, of McKeesport, was fined \$10 and costs for having a black-jack in his possession. Let the good work go on.

William Sell, of Youngwood committed suicide while delirious with fever.

A first-class riot took place among some of the genial and jovial gents of Youngwood on Sunday.

The C. T. A. Union held at a fair last night at McKeesport which was a great social and financial success.

Braddock is suffering from an epidemic of the break-a-day boys.

PERSONAL MENTION

S. W. Ross is transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. W. H. is Coles a Pittsburgh visitor today.

Adolph Beigel is a business visitor in Pittsburgh today.

Frank Riva is transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

Jack Mathais is transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

Joseph Cohn left yesterday for Uniontown on a business visit.

J. Frew of Fallowfield avenue has left for Connellsville to spend a few days.

Alvin Davis, of Monongahela was in Charleroi yesterday calling on friends.

Edith Pigford of Wilmerding is a guest of Miss Grace Gelder of Crest avenue.

Miss Effie Oiler of Kammerer is spending a few days in Charleroi with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wagner are in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

J. B. Brannagan is in Pittsburgh today transacting business and visiting friends.

Restaurant privileges for Eldora Park have been let to John J. Oats for the 1908 season.

Mr. Ollie Brand has returned home after several days with friends in Morgantown, W. Va.

George Lumsden, W. H. Reese and W. H. Schuyler are transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

Miss Iona Riggs has returned to work at J. E. Masters store, after being off two week's with illness.

Miss Bessie Lee, of Donora was calling on her friend, Miss Henrietta Bailey, of Lincoln avenue yesterday.

Miss Lulu True of Beallsville has returned home after a visit with her friend, Miss Mollie Craven of Washington avenue.

Miss Elizabeth Rock of Morgantown, W. V., is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Rosbottom, of Crest avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Peters and Mrs. and Mrs. Alex. Ross, of Michigan are spending a few days this week with friends in Charleroi.

R. S. Coyle has left for Uniontown to look after business pertaining to the opening of Shady Grove park, of which he is manager.

W. A. Buckholdt, manager and proprietor of Buckholdt's Hardware store has returned from an extended trip throughout the West.

H. W. Schildkamp, the genial foreman of the Mail composing department is handing around the cigars today. The stork left a son at his home yesterday.

The Rev. W. S. Lowry, D. D. who for nearly two years has been pastor of the Payne Chapel A. M. E. church, preached his farewell sermon Sunday evening.

Earl Richardson after spending the winter in California left yesterday for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will begin work with a contracting company, work having been tied up during the winter.

Operations Not Necessary.

Since the German scientist discovered that 6 drops Carbolic Acid, 1 dram Zetan, one-half ounce Zinc Ointment mixed and applied night and morning positively cures any form of piles, the use of the surgeon's knife is no longer necessary. Any druggist can compound this prescription.

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CARDS—Call and see our samples of stylish calling cards. Printed or engraved. Charleroi Mail. 134tf

FOR RENT—A front room, for one or two persons. Inquire 221 Mail. 2242p

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The Intelligent Public. "It is amusing," said a librarian of a public library, "to see the way in which many of the public who are always clamoring for new fiction" may be fooled with a new copy of an old novel.

"The experiment was tried recently by putting a fresh new copy of H. W. Wells' 'The War in the Air' on a shelf with new fiction. It was found to be constantly in demand and was even asked to be reserved, where before it had circulated not more than once or twice a month."

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COUNCIL SEEKS STATE AID FOR PAVING STREET

Left Over Business Is Finished Up At Adjourned Meeting.

The matter of soliciting State aid for the paving of Lincoln avenue was taken up by council last night at their regular adjourned meeting and a resolution was drawn up to be sent to State Commissioner of Highways Hunter, praying for the desired help.

The ordinance for the Lincoln avenue grade between Fifth and Sixth street passed second and third readings.

The Greensboro Gas company was instructed to lower their line at the corner of Oakland avenue and Eighth street. The matter of the disposal of the surface water overflowing property on Long Alley was taken up and by motion was placed in the hands of the street committee with power to act.

New hose buildings are desired by the firemen, one for Fallowfield avenue, two for the hill and one for Second street, down town. The matter was placed in the hands of the street committee with power to act.

The clerk was instructed to notify the owner of the property on the corner of Fallowfield avenue and Seventh street to lay a sidewalk on Seventh street. He was also instructed to notify parties having poles on Great avenue which were in the way to have them righted.

The matter of a sewer on Prospect avenue which has been asked for by the residents of that street, was placed in the hands of the street committee with power to act.

Laugh A Word.

See "The Laugh A Word Man" - Lionel Paris at the Star tonight.

SCHOOL HOUSES NOT PROTECTED

A writer in the last issue of the Insurance Press on the necessity of providing adequate protection against the spreading of flames and for the safety of life in public school buildings, gives a list of cities in which investigations warrant the assertion that protective appliances are needed. In the list are Washington, Charleroi and Monongahela. The writer says:

"The pressing need of the hour is to make existing buildings as safe for school children as modern methods will permit, that proper protection against fire in a building can be had only through the use of fireproof materials in the construction thereof. The first question is not how shall new school buildings be constructed, but how can the existing buildings be made reasonably safe."

Makes New Record.

The Monessen police made a record number of arrests Saturday night, pulling in 28 evil doers. Among this number was a Polish woman, Jennie Paranz, and Marie O'Neil. The latter had to be carried to the station house, fighting like a demon.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks to the friends and neighbors for the kindness and hospitality rendered us during the sickness and death of our darling babe.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Vernon.

TRYING HARD TO AVOID STRIKE OF ST. CAR MEN

It Is Thought That the matter May Be Settled This Week By Those Interested.

Possibility of a strike of the motormen and conductors of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, tying up street car traffic in Pittsburgh and vicinity next week is vigorously depreciated by the two parties to the interest involved. If statements made at the headquarters of the employees' union and the officers of the railway company can be relied upon both sides are striving earnestly for an amicable adjustment of the wage scale difference.

It is a fact that repeated conferences between Calvin Wyatt, representing the employees, and M. K. McMahon, representing the street car company, have resulted in nothing. On the one hand, the situation is unchanged from the point of view of the two weeks ago. However, neither negotiator is willing to admit that the end has been reached, and both express their belief that a strike will result.

The situation seems entirely too grim to the men, the company and the public to admit coexistence of a strike on either side. President W. D. McMahon, president of the National Association of Street Railway Employees, says:

"A meeting of the employees will be held at the headquarters in the Ferguson building tonight, and in this meeting a plan for future guidance will be adopted."

Earn \$2 a week making Carvas. See "The Laugh A Word Man" - Lionel Paris at the Star tonight.

HELD FOR COURT FOR RAILROAD ROBBERY

Samuel Martin, the man arrested in connection with the attempt at robbery at the railroad store house last week, was given a hearing yesterday afternoon before Alderman Elwood at Monongahela and held under \$500 bail for court. Detective Jerry Byers arrested the other man thought to be in the case, whose name is Dan Gold. He was also held for court.

Railroad Detectives Marker, Henderson, Weber and Holland arrested Martin at Dravosburg Friday night. He was thought to have been implicated in the attempt at robbery Thursday night when Officer Bergman was assaulted. The man was found in a shanty boat and taken to Monongahela.

"In Bohemia."

Such is the title of the popular song to be given with next Sunday's New York world and music complete. This song is the hit of Gus Edwards' show, "The Merry Go Round," now playing at the Circle Theatre, Broadway, New York. Every one who hears it goes away whistling it. In Bohemia it cannot fail to please. Get next Sunday's New York World and try it on your piano.

Cyclists.

The palm is given to Sid Baxter and Co. for their novelty wire cycling act. At the Star.

OPENING OF NEW LEAGUE ON FRIDAY

Charleroi Starts at Uniontown on Friday and Plays Here Saturday.

Three more days remain until the opening of the new West Virginia and Pennsylvania league and from the present indications there will be more interest in base ball this season than last as the circuit is more compact and the rivalry between the towns greater than any previous time. Fairmont and Clarksburg expect 5000 at the opening game. Scottsdale and Connellsville anticipate a record break and the feeling that has always existed between the locals and Uniontown is sure to cause a big fan to turn out.

Each town will have an opening game. On Friday Charleroi will be at Uniontown and Saturday Uniontown at Charleroi. The other teams will change around accordingly.

Manager Osborne has been putting the boys through some stiff practice and says everything will be right on opening day. Gilbert, a catcher from Williamsport has reported and shows up well. Will's arm is improving and he will be in the lineup Friday. Liden who had a bad thumb has been working hard in an endeavor to get it in shape. Jerkins of California will be given a trial at first today. Secretary Tarter of the Minor League association has notified every player with Uniontown last season to report as they are the property of the Uniontown base ball club. It is likely the Fayette county club will get some money out of the men.

Of the Right Kind.

The girl student who was a late scholarship won't know what hard study is until she tries to win a husband - Clarksburg Telegram.

COUPLES FROM THIS VICINITY WANT DIVORCE

Charles Hultgran, of Charleroi, complains that his betterhalf, Emma J. Hultgran, has failed to prove true to him and has returned to Sweden, the land of her nativity. They were married at Braddock in 1901 and separated in 1902.

Nellie Jones Jennings, of Bentleyville, charges her husband, Degress Jennings, with maliciously deserting her, and asks that she be given a divorce. They were married in February, 1895, and lived together until May 14, 1906.

W. J. Guest avers that he has been deserted by Bessie Guest, whom he married in November, 1899, at Fayette City. There home is in Gastonville.

The commissioner's report filed in the divorce proceedings of Ethel Maley, of Monongahela, against her husband, Edwin Maley, charges most cruel treatment on the part of the husband.

Mrs. Maley declares he would pinch her arms, shove her away from him, threaten to strike her, and violently shake the head in which she lay sick.

The libellant also charges her husband with being continually intoxicated, disowning publicly their only child and other forms of abuse.

They were both residents of Monongahela, but were married in Youngstown December 28, 1905. Mrs. Maley says her arms were discolored for three months after her husband left, the discoloration being caused by his pinching.

Missing Aliquippa Man Found.

Paul Struback, 49 years old, of Aliquippa, Pa., for whom the police have been searching, for several days, at the request of friends who thought he had met with foul play, was found yesterday, in the Homeopathic hospital. He fell while waiting for a train at the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie railroad station on April 14 and sustained a fracture of the right leg. His friends had not heard of the accident.

Laugh A Word.

See "The Laugh A Word Man" - Lionel Paris at the Star tonight.

TRAPPER BOY KILLED AT THE CATSBURG MINE

Crushed to Death Between Car and Door that Refused to Open.

Joseph Keiffer, of Coal Bluff, was killed in the mine at that place yesterday afternoon by a fall of slate caused by the cars crashing into a post. Keiffer was not employed in the mines at the time of the accident, but had jumped on the car to ride in the works. The train did not go in the direction intended but took another switch. A post was struck which knocked it from its position. The cause of the falling of the slate is not known.

Mr. Keiffer was also injured by the death of Mike Tete, who was killed at Catsburg Saturday, by a fall of slate. Tete was married and leaves a wife and two children in the old country. He was aged 29.

The death of Marcus Burzse, a miner employed in the Cherry Valley mine No 1 near Burgettstown, will be investigated. Burzse was 26 years of age and was single.

Letter to E. F. Krahmer.

Charleroi, Pa.
Dear Sir: Volumes cannot say more. Every you wanted Devoe takes less gallons than of any other paint.

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F. W. DEVOE & CO.
Backhold Hardware Co. sells our paint.

Ask Paper Brothers to explain how Hyomei cures catarrh without stomach dosing. Money refunded if it fails.

LARGE CROWDS WITNESS MONDAY'S PERFORMANCE

Large crowds witnessed the shows at the Star last night and everyone went away from the theatre well pleased. Lionel Paris, in a straight makeup proved himself to be a good entertainer, with his songs and jokes. He was better than most monologists seen in Charleroi. Bertha Talford, the quick change song and dance artist was away above the average, being among the best in an act of the kind. The cyclists, Sid Baxter and company gave a new and novel act. Their electric bicycle riding was heartily applauded. Billy Everett sang two new songs. The pictures were of the best, being both instructive and entertaining.

Knox on Revision.

Senator Knox sounded a strong, clear note in his address in Philadelphia Saturday night when he said that examination and adjustment of tariff schedules to present conditions is a work which "should be done by men wise enough to distinguish between revision and ruin." It should be understood by everyone - everyone should be made to understand that it is not the purpose of the Republican party to abandon the smallest fraction of full protection to American industry. At a time when Englishmen show a purpose to break the fetters which bind them to a free trade policy and return to one which shall give them control of their own markets now dominated by other nations, the people of the United States cannot afford to make breaches in the tariff wall. If Great Britain should adopt even a small measure of protection there would be greater reason than ever for adherence to our own time tried and well proven policy. One of the issues in the North Manchester election, as Senator Knox in his Philadelphia address and The Gazette Times in its editorial columns pointed out, was protection, and so far as it was an issue protection won, as it has in other English bye-elections. The lesson of this for Americans is to keep Republicans on guard for the preservation of the home market. - Gazette Times.

Quick Change.

Bertha Talford holds some records for quick change. Also a song and dance artist. At the Star.

CANDIDATES LAST DAY BROUGHT IN MANY ACCOUNTS

Expenses Are Given By Men Who Run For Various Offices.

A number of candidates who were voted for at the recent primary filed their expense accounts in the clerk's office yesterday at Washington.

Edgar C. Marshall, candidate for the Republican nomination for county treasurer, submitted a sworn statement showing an expense account of \$1,563.47. C. E. Carothers, Republican nominee for assembly, spent \$694.50. Charles A. Bentley spent \$822.17 and has another bill for \$100.00. Frank Craven spent \$77.00 and H. H. Roper's expenses less than \$50. James I. Heffner, Republican nominee for coroner, spent \$13.15. Calvin Patterson reports his expenses \$25 and H. K. Keil, less than \$50. William Corser, Republican nominee for poor director, spent \$15. H. M. Gatz, candidate for the Republican nominee for auditor, reports his expenses less than \$50. J. A. Huffman spent \$4.55.

Other Republican nominees report their expenses as follows: Cyrus Morrow, registrar, \$12.32; D. L. Williams, clerk of courts, \$12.35; H. F. Ward, prothonotary, \$123.94; W. J. Anderson, auditor, less than \$50; John A. Berry, commissioner, \$361.30.

James A. Barnett, Democratic nominee for prothonotary, spent \$5.40. James C. Barre, Democratic nominee for county treasurer, reports his expenses less than \$50. J. B. Vankirk reports no contributions and no expenses.

S. T. Brown, candidate for delegate to the Republican state convention, submitted a sworn expense amount of 26 cents.

MISSING WORD SEEMS HARD TO FIND

The last week's missing word of the Mail contest is proving a hoodoo to the workers. A number of answers have been sent in but few were right. The word is not as difficult to find as many think nor, on the other hand is it so easy, but careful search will find it.

The advice of the contest editor is to "Get Busy." Work with a will and carefully go over each sentence. Place down words on paper that you think might possibly be the one then after searching thoroughly the page, choose the most likely word and send it in.

Cyclists.

The palm is given to Sid Baxter and Co. for their novelty wire cycling act. At the Star.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

of this week we will sell our \$7.50 Heywood Collapseable Go Carts at \$5.00. They fold to fit in a suitcase. Correll and Crowley McKean Ave. near Fourth St.

Quick Change.

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R. C. Mountsier of Charleroi for seed oats and seed corn.

DeWitt's Carbonized Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles. Sold by Price Bros.

NOW SEEKS RECEIVER FOR DISTILLERY

Joseph Vandergrift Starts Proceedings in Washington Court.

An equity proceeding asking for a receiver, has been started by Joseph H. Vandergrift against Julia A. Vandergrift, executrix of the estate of John H. Vandergrift, deceased. The proceeding is to get possession of part of the property formerly owned by the Vandergrift Distilling company, of Allentown, of which John H. Vandergrift, deceased, was a member. Julia A. Vandergrift is the widow of the deceased and is the firm and denies the title of the plaintiff to an interest in the property belonging to the firm.

The plaintiff is represented by Attorneys L. E. Bryd and Irwin, Wiley and Morrow. His statement sets forth that a partnership was formed between him and John H. Vandergrift, deceased, in 1892, for the purpose of manufacturing and selling distilled liquors at Allentown, this county. By special provision the partnership business was to be conducted in the name of Joseph M. Vandergrift. This agreement was originally in parole, but in 1903 a written agreement was drawn up and has since been recorded in the recorder's office.

According to the terms of this agreement the parties were to be equal partners in the business. John H. Vandergrift put into the business the sum of \$200 and John H. Vandergrift contributed \$1,657 and 2,151 gallons of whisky, tax paid, at \$1.50 per gallon. It was also agreed that the excess net in by one partner was to be paid the other out of the proceeds of the business. There is a large amount of real estate and distilled liquor belonging to the firm.

DEFIANCE TO FEEHAN; STRIKERS ARE IN CAMP; MINES TO OPEN TODAY

Hilliard District Prepares for Disorder, and Operators invite Non-Unionists to return.

BUTLER Pa., April 27 - The Hilliard non-union mining district, the scene of demonstrations by 300 union miners from Grove City, Pardoe and Annandale mines of the Butler-Mercer district last week, was orderly today, nearly all of the unionists having returned to their homes.

The operators of the four non-union collieries are firm in their determination to run open-shop mines. Harry Hamilton, president of the Mutual coal company, owning the Standard mine and Levi Deal, owning the Windber mine, participated in the Mercer Butler district operators and the scale committee of the United Mine Workers District No. 5, at Greenville Friday and Saturday and made it plain that nothing but the old scale and no check off and the open shop would be considered.

This means war to the end as President Feehan and Organizer McKay have given out that they propose to establish the union in Mercer and Butler counties.

The break if there is to be one will come today and a long and hard struggle will ensue.

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April 23 In History.

1710—Thomas Belterton, famous actor,
died.
1758—James Monroe, fifth president,
born; died 1831.
1905—General Fitzhugh Lee, noted
Confederate veteran, former United
States consul at Havana, died; born
1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
Sun sets 6:40, rises 4:57; moon rises
4:42 a. m.

A Journalistic Jonah.

The Canonsburg Notes does not hold
Speaker Cannon in very high esteem,
at least it quotes with approval the
mean squib printed in the Philadel-
phia North American about him. The
Notes knows or at least ought to know
that the displeasure of the North
American is a pretty good introduction
to Pennsylvanians generally. It is a
species of a letter of credit.

Just as the Hearst papers were the
creators of the yellow type so has the
North American been the creator of
slander as political argument. No
one other source has done more to de-
grade and lower the people of Penn-
sylvania in the eyes of the people of
other States than the North American.
Its systematic and appalling slanders
are the very identical thing that give
license to the press in other states to
speak of the people of Pennsylvania as
"a sunken people."

Its methods startled at first, then
amused and finally disgusted to such
an extent that its utterances are re-
garded as the mouthings of a malig-
nant misanthrope.

The Notes may not be willing to
admit it, but it is true nevertheless,
that the real friends of local option
were dismayed and numbed when they
saw that the North American had
seized upon that question as its own
private issue. They knew it meant a
repulse, as they knew that the North
American would affront and disgust
all open-minded men and prevent the
question from being considered upon
its merits, neither did they care to
identify themselves with a "lazar
kite of Cressid's kind."

It never succeeded in defeating a
man against whom its diatribes were
directed. It never succeeded in hav-
ing its own editor elected to office,
and as for its lamentations over the
power of "booze and booze," the
North American has abundant person-
al reasons for knowing how futile
their use is in securing office.

No surer method could be adopted
to gain the Speaker the affections of the

people of Pennsylvania than to have
the North American over-turn its vials
of mendacity upon him.

Curious Condensations.

Four and a half is the average size
of the English family.

The annual profits of Monte Carlo
amount to \$5,000,000.

Rare Ben Johnson asked no better
treat than a pork pie with an abun-
dant quantity of wine.

The largest clock in the world is at
the Rombol's Cathedral, Mechlin,
Belgium, if the size of the dial is the
criterion.

Bishop Collins of Boston is soon to
go to Jamaica to take up the work of
rebuilding the churches and schools
destroyed by the earthquake.

What is believed to be the oldest
newspaper in the world is preserved
at the University of Heideberg. It
is a brochure of 12 pages, bearing the
date 1600.

Turpentine is obtained by cutting a
hole in one side of tree, called "box-
ing," which in a few years kills the
tree. The forest service has found a
method of extracting turpentine by
which the trees are far less injured,
and the yield is increased 30 per cent.

An old cello, which the owner at
Mount Noorah, Victoria, sent to be
repaired, was found to bear the label
of Nicolo Amati and the date 1624.
There was also found a record of the
instrument having been repaired by
Louise Dandeh of Versailles in 1781
for Louis XVI.

Since the government monopoly of
the liquor traffic in Switzerland has
been in operation it has met the
wishes of the Legislators. The con-
sumption of alcohol has been reduced
from 6.27 liters to less than four lit-
ers ahead. Ten per cent. of the net
profit of the monopoly is given to the
cantons, provided they devote it to
measures repressive of drunkenness.

The world's stock money, according
to the latest and most reliable data
obtained by the Director of the Mint,
amounted at the close of the year
1906, according to the Comptroller of
the Currency, to \$14,280,100,000. Of
this total gold was not far from one-
half in amount, being estimated at
\$5,591,360,000. Silver money, full
and limited tender, amounted to \$8,-
256,900,000, while uncovered paper
was estimated at \$4,132,000,000.

Love City Cullings.

Mrs. Mary Sanders of Monongahela,
is spending a few days with her
father, Jacob Spbar, of Garwood, who
is very ill.

Mrs. Garfield Gregg, of Washing-
ton, is spending a few days with her
parents, Mr. J. N. Carroll and wife,
near Garwood.

Miss Mary Chalfant is quite ill
again, not being able to teach school.
Leslie Williams has the measles.

A Grange meeting was held at
Crown's school house, Friday evening,
for a purpose of organizing a grange
here.

Easter services which were to have
been held at the Clover Hill church
were postponed on account of an epi-
demic of measles.

Mrs. Lewis Carson, who has been
spending a few days with her daugh-
ter, Mrs. W. E. Allman, who has
been quite ill with measles, has re-
turned home.

A dance was held at the home of
Joe Winnett Friday evening which
was largely attended and greatly en-
joyed by all.

Mrs. Stella Ida Morris, Rider and
Hannen were Pittsburg shoppers on
Wednesday.

Mrs. Hiram Robison entertained
the Larkins Soap Club at her home on
Saturday afternoon.

Miss Stella Carson and her friend,
Miss Porter of the California Normal
spent Sunday with the former's par-
ent, Joseph Carson and wife.

E. N. Allen and wife were Sunday
guests at the home of Charles Reed.

Police Notes.

From Bonnie Belle Vernon.
One sunny Spring day,
Joe Luptko meandered
To make a short stay,
To boozero he bled him,
And toyed with the beer.
It flew to his head,
And made him feel queer.
To Mangaser he shouted,
"You son-of-gun
I'll fight you for money,
For marbles or fun."
Ten dollars and costs
The Cadi inflicted.
Henceforward for Joe
Beer is interdicted.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills
are prompt and thorough and will in
a short time strengthen weakened
kidneys and allay troubles arising
from inflammation of the bladder.
Sold by Piper Bros. editf

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup
acts promptly yet gently on the bow-
els, through which the cold is forced
out of the system, and at the same
time it allays inflammation. Sold by
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A BRAVE ...EFFORT.

(Original.)

Edgar Bertram, a young American
traveling abroad, was making a pe-
destrian tour of the Alps. One evening
while stopping at an inn on the road
leading over the Fraele pass a man
and a girl of eighteen, carrying a
variety of bundles, came and sat down
at a table near him. The girl was
very pretty, and Bertram kept glanc-
ing at her repeatedly. After supper the
man who was with her smoked his
pipe on the porch of the inn, and
Bertram fell to talking with him. He
said that the girl was his daughter,
and they were going over the pass the
next day.

The height of the Fraele pass is over
7,000 feet and the distance the two
proposed to go perhaps ten miles. Ber-
tram wondered why they should at-
tempt it. The man was past fifty, and
the girl, though strong, was, after all,
but a girl. "There is no danger," said
the man. "We have done it before.
Of course we have some bad places to
cross, but we tie ourselves to a rope
like other climbers, and if one
falls the other pulls him up."

The man went into the taproom,
where he indulged in a bottle of wine
and a game of dominoes with the land-
lord. This left Bertram and the girl
together. He chatted with her some-
time and won her confidence. "Tell
me," he said, "why you attempt this
pass when there are easier ones? And
why do you not cross the mountains
by conveyance? You seem to be peo-
ple who are able to pay." Then the
girl confessed that they were smug-
glers and by crossing the Fraele pass
on foot could get the goods they were
carrying into Italy without paying any
duty.

The next morning when Bertram had
finished his breakfast he stood on the
porch of the inn looking up the road
that led over the pass. Far up the
mountain side he saw two figures, a
man and a woman, trudging slowly
toward him. He always carried a pair
of glasses with him, and bringing them
to bear on the figures, he saw that they
were the smugglers. He watched them
for an hour. They were tied together,
the father leading. At last a cloud
enveloped them, and he saw them no
more.

To the smugglers the cloud was a
mist, through which they could see
nothing. They relied on as best they
could, but despite the father's efforts
to keep on the road he lost his way.
Then suddenly there was a quick slide
and a jerk on the rope. The girl caught
a projection with her ice ax, and it
held. Then she knew that her father
had slipped and was dangling over a
precipice.

There was no way by which he could
gain a foothold to save himself or less-
en the strain on the rope, which, as his
daughter lost strength, would inevi-
tably pull her over and the two would
together fall thousands of feet into the
abyss below.

"Cut the rope," he called.
"No."
"Cut it! One of us may live. Both
cannot."
"No."

Repeatedly he called upon her to do
that which would send him into the
abyss. She always answered "No,"
but gave no reason why she should not
do his bidding. They were alone far
up in the mountains; there was no one
near to help, and for the first time
he could not be seen if there were those
to see them.

An hour passed. An hour—sixty min-
utes of sixty seconds each, and each
second a frightful strain! There could
be no change of position either for the
father or the daughter. Any motion on
his part would increase the strain,
and the daughter must lie flat, both
hands clinging to the ax handle. How
long would her strength endure? And
why should it endure? Was not each
moment an agony to be followed by the
frightful end at last?

Thirty more of these dreadful min-
utes passed, each an eternity of agony.
Then a zephyr carried away the mist,
and the girl clearly saw down the
mountain a man approaching. He was
glancing about him as if he were look-
ing for some one. With all the little
strength she had left she cried again
and again till at last he raised his
head and looked straight at where she
lay. Then he bounded up the
mountain like a goat.

The girl did not know who relieved
her, at least not then. She felt the
strain on the rope disappear and knew
that her father was saved. Then all
was a blank. Her father and the res-
cuer carried her down the mountain
into Italy, stopping at the first inn they
reached.

In the evening, after she had come
to herself, she asked to see the man to
whom she was indebted for her and
her father's life. When he came in
and stood before her, she recognized
the young American with whom she
had spent the previous evening.

Bertram, after seeing the cloud en-
velop the father and daughter, could
not divest himself of misgivings con-
cerning them. Then it seemed to him
that he heard the girl cry out, though
this was entirely a mental impres-
sion, not a sound transmitted through
the air. He started up the mountain
to reach them doubtless but a short
time before the girl's strength must
have given out.

When he reached the inn where they
at the inn to pursue his journey there
was a sad look in the eyes of the girl.
Bertram has forgotten many of the
episodes of his foreign tramps, but he
has never forgotten, nor will he ever
forget, the brave girl who by her
heroic endurance saved her father from
an awful death.

AMY B. KENNEDY.

LOCAL GIRL IN BIG CONTEST AT PITTSBURG

Will Try For a Prize In
Business Show at Duquesne
Garden.

For the First National Business
show, at Duquesne Garden, Pittsburg,
starting this evening at eight o'clock,
a Charleroi girl, Miss Alice Mallabone
will be entered, and her friends
are confident of her taking an honor.
Prizes will be given the four who
make the best showing. The contest
is in typewriting.

The event tonight is a preliminary
to the Championship of Pennsylvania,
which will be held at eight o'clock,
Thursday evening of this week. The
writing will be for fifteen minutes
from printed matter. Judges will
select the best twelve papers, from
tonight's trial and the operator will
be selected for the main event.

Miss Mallabone is a graduate of
Douglas College, '06 where she took
highest honors in typewriting. She
left at noon today for Pittsburg. A
Remington machine will be used by
Miss Mallabone.

FELL A DISTANCE OF TWENTY FEET

By falling a distance of 20 feet
and alighting on an iron girder Joe
Fontana of Monongahela was badly
injured at noon yesterday. He was
taken to the Memorial hospital.
He was employed at the Spring de-
partment of the Liggett Spring and
Axle company.

During the noon hour he was
climbing over a steel building in the
course of erectio whe he fell. He is
15 years of age and resides at New
Eagle.

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May you live long and prosper.
Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Rod-
ing, Ga., Aug. 27, 1906." Sold by
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Twain Wasn't Well.

At a dinner to which Mark Twain
was invited his name was associated
with the toast of "Literature." The
operator, who referred with great ef-
fluence to Homer, Shakespeare, Milton
and—Mark Twain. In response the hu-
morist thanked the speaker for his
kindly references and excused himself
from making a longer speech by say-
ing, "Homer is dead, Shakespeare and
Milton are no more, and I—I don't feel
very well myself."

Guarding the Deposits.
Gentleman About Town—An' if a
guy swiped a coin outta de cup, d'yer
mean t' say de dog 'ould yelp an' grab
him? Near Blind Person—Sure he
would! He ain't no dummy director.—
Puck

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West Pointers on the Battlefield.
One thing of which all West Pointers
felt proud was the brotherly love and
kindness shown by both sides to fel-
low graduates when taken prisoners
or when otherwise in distress. I have
heard the story told of Fitzhugh Lee
that on one occasion when scouting
with a squadron of cavalry in the de-
batable country between Fairfax
Courthouse and Alexandria he cap-
tured a picket of a similar commander
under Tom Heigh and learned that
the latter was taking breakfast in a
farmhouse. Fitz went in alone, found
Tom at table with his back to the door,
so he was able to get up to him and
slap him on the back before saying,
"I think, Tom, you might have put out
one picket." They took breakfast to-
gether, and then Fitz sent an escort to
conduct him to the Federal lines and
bring back his horse, having of course
first paroled him. This was to save
him from Libby prison.—General S. W.
Ferguson in Metropolitan Magazine.

If it were only as easy to practice as
it is to preach!—Chicago News.

The Sarcastic Victim.
The Barber—Your hair is coming out
on top, sir. The Crank—Good! I knew
it was coming out, but goodness sake,
don't talk to it or it will crawl back
again.—St. Louis Republic.

At the Opera.
"What was the matter with Signor
Tenori? He sang the drinking song
wretchedly."
"Yes, I think he had been drinking."
—New Orleans Times-Democrat

Anger begins in folly and ends in
repentance.—Pythagoras.

Among the prominent educators of
Washington county who have an-
nounced for the office of County Su-
perintendent is E. B. Enoch of Wash-
ington, who for the past 28 years has
been a teacher in the schools of this
county. For eleven years he was
principal of the Clark schools in the
seventh ward of Washington but last
year reigned his position in order to
make an active canvass for the office
of superintendent.

Mr. Enoch also has had experience
along the lines of the County Super-
intendent as for five years during the



E. B. Enoch.

time which Byron E. Tombaugh was
superintendent. Mr. Enoch was 14
assistant. He has also had 14 years
of experience in the common schools
of the county and 14 years in the
graded schools.

Mr. Enoch was a candidate for the
office of County Superintendent three
years ago but owing to his friendship
for Prof. F. R. Hall dropped out of
the race.

Mr. Enoch has thoroughly can-
vassed the county and has seen every
director. The directors will meet in
convention on Tuesday May 5, 1908,
at which time the election will be
held.

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the allmouth, for the tail begins where the mouth ends. Inhabiting the northern Atlantic, the angler has been given a variety of names. On the Massachusetts coast it is known as goosefish. Rhode Island terms it bellowfish, and Connecticut gives it the cognomen of mollygut. Jamaica bay calls it the carpetbagger. England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales all have their local names. The names of the English give to this fish a peculiarly English character. To say the least. They call it toadfish, frog, fishing frog, devilfish, sea devil, nassfish, monkfish, pocketfish, wide-gut, kettlemaw and widegap. Thomas Pennant, who in 1776 wrote his "British Zoology," did not like the name of fishing frog, then applied to the fish, so he changed the old name of fishing frog for the more simple one of angler.

Before the weather starts to cool

of church. The rogue had by the time decamped without paying his bill.

1. told me. Your story shall be my guide
throughout my whole married life."

J. J. KING, Retail Manager, Fallowfield Ave.

—London, 1898.

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HERE AND THERE

Dogs attacked a herd of cattle Friday night belonging to Alexander McConnell, North Strabane township, killing two of the animals and injuring a third so badly that it had to be killed. Others of the herd were slightly injured.

Coal Biff is over run with sheep killing dogs.

George Lambert, an 11-year-old lad of Canonsburg, has disappeared and it is thought he has adopted the hobo life.

Mrs. Wesley Chambers, of Amwell township, aged about 91 years, went to Washington Saturday, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Dodd, wife of Dr. William Dodd, of the Fifth ward. Mrs. Chambers, despite her years, is hale and active, and said Saturday that she had no cause for complaint so far as health is concerned.

A marriage license was granted Saturday at Waynesburg to G. W. Sellers and Lettie Eaton both of Charleroi.

Burglars are busy in Connellsville.

The school commencement season is now working full time.

George Lewis, veteran of the Civil war, died this afternoon at his home at the rear of 264 North Main street, Washington, of a complication of diseases, aged 63 years.

The McKeesport hospital broke about all records this week for the number of patients admitted, suffering with concussion of the brain and fractured skulls.

Twelve gallons of good whiskey went to waste last evening and none of McKeesport's drinking men were about. In some manner the fluid that intoxicates leaked from a barrel at the store of I. Sunstein, at 226 Fifth avenue last night and before the flow was discovered and stopped about twelve gallons of the costly drink had flowed over the floor.

The Lincoln public school near the city poor farm Elizabeth township closed yesterday afternoon in a blaze of glory and likewise fire.

Vandals last evening destroyed much property belonging to the New Castle Bill posting company in the Seventh ward. Three large bill boards in Cedar street were torn down and the lumber damaged beyond use.

County Detective C. G. Logan and Constable Graham of Mahoning township, made a most important capture last night at Hillsville, when they arrested John Bendetto and captured 450 pounds of dynamite he had stolen from the storehouse of the DuPont Powder company at Hillsville. The stolen property was turned over to the owners. It was worth about \$230.

W. D. Haywood will be in New Castle Sunday afternoon May 3 to address the Socialists and others. Big preparations are being made for his coming. On Tuesday, May 5th, Arthur Moore Lew, a National organizer of the party, will be here to make an address.

Felix McCartney, of Washington, a miner and well known in labor circles, expects to leave today for Goldfield, Nev.

Washington had ten names on the police docket yesterday morning.

Mrs. Paul Shaw, of Homestead, claims her husband pushed her from a moving car.

Bert Marks, of Homestead, whom it is claimed has paid fines enough to pay the salary of a policeman, has finally gone to jail.

Robert Barber, of Bellwood was ordered by the Court to pay his wife \$2 a week in a desertion case. She told a story that moved many to tears.

John J. Kelly, a well-known steel worker of Homestead, died suddenly yesterday.

Harriet Slocom and Dallas Taylor, both of Homestead, will be wedded tomorrow.

"Dummy" Campbell and Thomas Kelly are in durance vile for looting an ice-plant at Homestead.

Willock had its accustomed murder last Saturday night.

The Record, of Washington, has gone into a Receiver's hands.

Charlotte Williams was burned to death yesterday at her home at Claysville.

Peter Estreon, of McKeesport, was fined \$10 and costs for having a black-jack in his possession. Let the good work go on.

William Sell, of Youngwood committed suicide while delirious with fever.

A first-class riot took place among some of the genial and jovial gents of Youngwood on Sunday.

The C. T. A. Union held at a fair last night at McKeesport which was a great social and financial success.

Braaddock is suffering from an epidemic of the break-a-day boys.

PERSONAL MENTION

S. W. Reed is transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. W. H. is Colé a Pittsburgh visitor today.

Adolph Beigel is a business visitor in Pittsburgh today.

Frank Riva is transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

Jack Mathais is transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

Joseph Cohn left yesterday for Uniontown on a business visit.

J. Frew of Fallowfield avenue has left for Connellsville to spend a few days.

Alvin Davis, of Monongahela was in Charleroi yesterday calling on friends.

Edith Pigford of Wilmerding is a guest of Miss Grace Gelder of Crest avenue.

Miss Effie Oller of Kammerer is spending a few days in Charleroi with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wagner are in Pittsburgh today transacting business.

J. B. Brannagan is in Pittsburgh today transacting business and visiting friends.

Restaurant privileges for Eldora Park have been let to John J. Oates for the 1908 season.

Mr. Ollie Brand has returned home after several days with friends in Morgantown, W. Va.

George Lumsden, W. H. Reese and W. H. Schuyler are transacting business in Pittsburgh today.

Miss Iona Riggs has returned to work at J. E. Masters store, after being off two weeks with illness.

Miss Bessie Lee, of Donora was calling on her friend, Miss Henrietta Bailey, of Lincoln avenue yesterday.

Miss Lulu True of Beallsville has returned home after a visit with her friend, Miss Mollie Craven of Washington avenue.

Miss Elizabeth Rock of Morgantown, W. Va., is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Kosbottom, of Crest avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Peters and Mrs. and Mrs. Alex. Ross, of Michigan are spending a few days this week with friends in Charleroi.

R. S. Coyle has left for Uniontown to look after business pertaining to the opening of Shady Grove park, of which he is manager.

W. A. Buckholdt, manager and proprietor of Buckholdt's Hardware store has returned from an extended trip throughout the West.

H. W. Schildkamp, the genial foreman of the Mail composing department is handing around the cigars today. The stork left a son at his home yesterday.

The Rev. W. S. Lowry, D. D. who for nearly two years has been pastor of the Payne Chapel A. M. E. church, preached his farewell sermon Sunday evening.

Earl Richardson after spending the winter in California left yesterday for Cleveland, Ohio, where he will begin work with a contracting company, work having been tied up during the winter.

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